

Recent Operations

By Paul Rardin

The Palm Beach County Development Board has recommended to the county commission that Ralph J. Blank be employed as manager of the newly created board at a salary of \$5,000 for the first year and \$6,000 for the second year. The commission will study the proposal until Sept. 27 when a decision will be rendered.

I don't know Mr. Blank or any of his qualifications but here's a suggestion: If he's the man you want for the job and can fill it efficiently you'd better see Barry Porter, between now and Sept. 27, and find out if he's going to hire him. There isn't any sense in waiting until Sept. 27 if Barry doesn't want him. You might just as well start looking for another man.

\$5,000 worth of rock sure would fill in a lot of holes on that Pahokee and Belle Glade road.

Three weeks ago I ran a story about that particular piece of road. It has been suggested by a friend of mine that I run that same piece in the paper about once a month until something is done about the road. It's a good idea. Next week will be the fourth week since the article appeared first—so I may run it again—just to keep it fresh in the minds of those who pay taxes and vote in elections.

Last week I sighted the county commissioner and state representative to a number of improvements to be made on the road. The State Road Department on August 27 in other parts of the state—some as close home as Glades and Hendry county. To State Messrs. Beck and Crocker have maintained their silence in regard to their intentions as they affect the Pahokee-Belle Glade road.

Seven Games For Belle Glade Team

A schedule of seven games, with four other games to be arranged for that number of open dates, has been announced by Belle Glade High School Coach E. H. Browning. The schedule includes home and home games with West Palm Beach.

Among candidates out for the team are: Sherry Shiver, Bobby Elden, Joe Cherry, Horace Harris, Elmer Kirchman, Herbert Lloyd, Robert Newman, George Wedgworth, Cecil Salter, Harold Byrd, Sammy Simmons, Jim Moody, Alton Allen and Pickens Woodward.

The Ram's schedule: Oct. 1, Pahokee at Pahokee; Oct. 8, West Palm Beach here; Oct. 15, Delray Beach here; Oct. 22, Fort Lauderdale here; Nov. 5, Lake Worth at Lake Worth; Nov. 12, Pahokee at Pahokee; Nov. 19, West Palm Beach at West Palm Beach; Sept. 24, Oct. 29, Nov. 26 and Dec. 3 are open dates to be filled in.

"The OPA will probably substitute serially numbered tickets for gasoline ration coupons if we can get money for the project," says Business Week. "World war veterans would make it easier for enforcement, officials to check counterfeiting and check the lack of coupons from out or lost in road."

NEW BORN ARRIVES

Mr. and Mrs. L. Crawford of Lake Wales announced the arrival of a son at Everglades Memorial hospital on Sept. 15.

Blue Devils Squad Is Rounding Into Playing Condition

Coach O'Steen of Pahokee high school announced that he has 27 boys on the Blue Devil squad who are battling for starting positions when the first game is played with Belle Glade on the night of October 1. The Pahokee coach is optimistic over the outlook for a good team this year. There are several letter men back this fall who have had quite a lot of experience on the gridiron and new men coming on are putting everything they have into the practice, O'Steen said.

Billy DeLoach has been named player-manager and Donald Hitchcock will be his assistant. Coach O'Steen's coaching staff includes: Coach O'Steen, head coach; Milton Salvatore, line; Sam Lovell, line; James McCall, line; Wilbur Goleger, back; Johnny Carr, end; Lynn Walker, line; Gene Waltes, line; Gerald Wade, line; Potter Howell, line; James Smith, back; Thomas Dickson, center.

The boys will be weighed in officially this week and will play will be given. During the past few days a lot of hard practice work has been put in by the boys and the coach is pleased with the manner in which the boys are rounding into condition. A practice game will be played this afternoon between a couple of squads of the players.

CADETS TO STAGE Dance Saturday

The Army Dance Band, from No. 9 BTC, Miami Beach, will provide music for another dance given by the R.A.F. and American cadets at Riddle Field Saturday, September 18th. The dance will be held in the Sugarland Auditorium, Clewiston.

The Army dance band proved to be one of the most popular group of music-makers that has ever played for a dance in the "Glades," and the cadets are hopeful that this dance will prove as successful as the last.

A group of WACS from the Fort Myers base will be present. CANAL POINT METHODIST CHURCH

E. S. Doherty, Pastor By unanimous vote of the congregation it was decided to continue the unified Sunday morning services until the first Sunday in October, when the pastor will complete the series of sermons on "The Ten Commandments."

The church appreciates those who gathered on Wednesday and did such a good job of trimming and cutting down trees.

All who can come next Wednesday to help to finish the job and beautify the grounds around the church, and patronage are cordially invited.

The Miami District Rally will be held in the White Temple Methodist Church Monday, September 20th, at 10 a. m. This Church is very sorry to learn of the illness of our beloved brother and brother Rev. Mr. Morgan and earnestly pray that he may make a speedy recovery.

Pat Elliott Has Birthday Party

Pat Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elliott of Pahokee, celebrated his fifth birthday anniversary on Monday of this week. His mother entertained several of his little friends at a party where ice cream and cookies were served.

Invited guests for the occasion were: Nancy Webb, Jeaneque Mock, Bubba Mock, Kay Friend, Naomi Mae Waring, Annette McIntosh, Lee Ann, Fioche Ann Hamey, Wayne Elliott, J. L. McIlwain, Judith Lloyd Starling, Carolyn Hickerson, Tommy Elliott, Alton Seguros, Donald Acres, Barbara Ferguson, Thurmond Kemp, Tommy Chastain, Jon Pope, Marjorie Ann, David Cunningham, Roger Jackson, Jimmie Brown, Robert Elliott, Earl D. Meredith, Donna May, Kathy Johnson, Susan Johnson, Gay Schoepel, Alfred Kahn, Charles Bracken, Gordon Harris, Eddie Verthommen, Bill Acker, Mrs. Kathryn Bos, Mrs. Melba "Cruthers," Mrs. C. G. Johnson, Mrs. "Thelma" Webb, C. T. Jackson, Mrs. H. M. McIntosh, Mrs. E. D. McIlwain, Miss Lenora Miller.

J. K. Baker Named Belle Glade Mayor

At an organization meeting of the Belle Glade city council held Wednesday night members of the council chose J. K. Baker to serve as mayor. C. W. McDonald, a hold-over member of the council, was named vice-mayor and chairman of the streets and sidewalks committee.

W. P. Risk, who was elected mayor of the council, was named treasurer. He is also chairman of the waterworks committee.

M. D. Lloyd, former chief of police who has an unsuccessful candidate for member of the council, was replaced by J. C. Williams as temporary chief of police. Mr. Williams was named member of the force under Mr. Lloyd.

Whatever changes are planned in the official set-up of the town will be made at a later meeting of the council.

\$101,000 In Bonds Sold By Rotes

At yesterday's meeting of the Rotaries Club a special committee composed of Thurmond Knight and B. Elliott reported sale of \$101,000 in Third War Loan Bonds since the last meeting week ago. Activities of the committee may be made similarly.

Paul Hardin asked the two-man committee to make an effort to sell a like amount before the meeting next Thursday.

Special Legislative Group Is Named

TALLAHASSEE, Sept. 16. — (FNS)—Looking into state expenses and possible economies, a six member legislative committee last week instructed the State Planning Board and State Auditor as investigating agencies to prepare a complete survey covering governmental costs of various state departments, boards and agencies.

The committee will use this information as a basis for its report and recommendations to the 1945 session of the Legislature. A budget control, continuing appropriation, central purchasing of supplies, travel expenses of the Legislature, salary classifications of employees and possible reorganization of departments and agencies.

"As I stood in line at one of the War Exhibits of machine guns, airplanes, bombs and other things being displayed, buying a bond, I wondered how many realized that, more people are killed on the home front in accidents than in foreign wars," stated Asher Frank, director of the Florida Safety Council.

Charlene Stuckey Has Birthday

A party marked the seventh birthday anniversary of Charlene Annette Stuckey Thursday, Sept. 9, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stuckey. Mrs. J. L. Whidden assisted Mrs. Stuckey in serving punch and cake to the following guests: Edwin Summerville, Curtis Ray and Stanley Lee Mock, Shirley Whidden, Barbara Verthommen, Charles Brookler, Quillie Whidden, Donna Lynn May, Peggy Lynn Shirley.

Truck Deliveries Are Curtailed

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16. — Director Joseph B. Eastman of the Office of Defense Transportation Wednesday ordered a sharp curtailment of all retail and wholesale motor truck deliveries in the country, effective at 12:01 a. m., Monday, Oct. 11.

The restrictions will extend to the rest of the nation the limitations on the frequency of deliveries which have been in effect since last spring at the North Atlantic coast.

The order includes all ban on the retail delivery of any package weighing less than 50 pounds or measuring 60 inches or less in length and girls combined. It also prohibits any retail deliveries, except ice, milk or cream, on Sunday.

The necessity for this action has been carefully weighed in the light of the ODT's prime responsibility to protect and maintain the domestic transportation facilities essential to the successful prosecution of the war and current conditions in the field of motor transport," Eastman said.

Under the order retail deliveries of alcoholic beverages, tobacco, confectioneries, soft drinks and other non-alcoholic beverages are cut to once a week. The same limitation is placed on ice cream, sherbets or ices, magazines and periodicals, and cut flowers.

A maximum of three deliveries a week is permitted for fresh or frozen meat, poultry, eggs, fruits, vegetables, fish and shell fish, but wholesale deliveries of these commodities may be made. Similarly, three deliveries are the retail maximum for bread and perishable bakery products, but six wholesale deliveries are permitted.

Only one delivery a week of malt beverages may be made to consumers. The same limit is placed on bottled malt beverages.

Two deliveries a week may be made by laundries, dry cleaners and tailors, but the wholesale limit on such services is five deliveries.

NEW DAUGHTER ARRIVES

Mr. and Mrs. George Mills of Canal Point announced the arrival of a daughter at the Everglades Memorial hospital on Sept. 14.

Every Florida cattle man should read the interesting account of the research carried out by the United States Sugar Corporation appearing in the current issue of the Florida Cattleman Magazine.

The article, written by B. A. Williams and C. J. Nielsen, gives tables of formulas and full information on the program that is enabling this state to produce the finest beef cattle in the world.

Federal Judge Criticizes "Some Agencies" Of OPA

Federal Judge Bascom S. Deaver of Macon, Georgia, when asked to pass upon the constitutionality of the rent control section of OPA edicts, sharply criticized "some agencies" which he said apparently regard the Constitution as an "out-moded instrument."

He further said: "Administrative agencies have become so numerous and government by regulations so extensive that courts, it is to be feared, may gradually yield to their unceasing insistence and permit the rights of people to be destroyed and subjected to control by regulation which result was never intended by the Constitution."

"It is easy for government agencies, some of which are apparently opposed to any limitation of their power and are impatient of all constitutional restrictions, to admit the limitations stated in the Constitution and then to ridicule the ideas that their powers are affected by them."

Of course, this case will be taken to the Supreme Court. What the final verdict will be we do not know but we quote it here because we are convinced that they are doing harm to the people.

I find that all are doing a lot for our men in the army—the USO, Red Cross, and those who come out and put on the shows for us. For all of this we are grateful.

I received my captivity July 4 while on maneuvers in the desert near Yuma, Ariz. Aid, was it hot? Yes! Metal parts burn your hand and gas boiled in the tanks. Yet, I am in good health and hold my own. Mrs. Statham and Margie are doing fine as they live up in the mountains at Lilyfield, Calif. They send their greetings.

It is a great thing to be a chaplain. One forgets crowds and denominations, divisions in the army. "They are my boys." You see, I can say that as I am the oldest man in the group. And the hardest task of all is to go out and pick up the mangled or burned body of one of my boys who a few hours before was living and now dead. I sit down and write a mother, wife, father, children from the heart of the chaplain that their own has made the supreme sacrifice for God and country. Because of this I write a mother, wife, father, children from the heart of the chaplain that their own has made the supreme sacrifice for God and country.

Old Age Pensions Are Increased

TALLAHASSEE, Sept. 16. — Governor Holland, discussing the State's general financial condition, said he was "strong" Tuesday announced that old age pension payment increases averaging \$4.00 a month had been granted to 1,899 recipients during August.

He also pointed to these favorable details of the financial picture:

1. The State school teachers' salary fund payment of \$1,362,887 for September will be paid when due Wednesday.

2. "It is now certain that the balance of \$4,000 remaining to be paid to counties on the deficit sustained by loss of horse race taxes last year "definitely will be paid this month."

3. "The general financial situation is strong. On Sept. 1, after paying salaries, we had \$1,069,000 in the general revenue fund, and \$1,000,000 in the state sinking fund. We will stay in the black throughout the period ending in November when we customarily have the greatest deficits."

The governor said the number of old age pensions to draw larger checks "will be vastly greater this month" since the work of setting up higher schedules has swung into full force. "I assure the Welfare Board handled the most numerous cases first. We are working toward an overall average pension increase of \$4.00."

Directors of the Florida War Fund, Inc., headed by Governor Holland as Honorary President, last week mapped preliminary plans for conducting a state campaign in behalf of the National War Fund, Florida.

The state was asked to raise \$125,000 for the benefit of 17 agencies.

Pick-Wick Cafe Has New Hours

The Pick-Wick cafe in Pahokee, operated by Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Schatz, announces new hours for the season. Since opening a few weeks ago the cafe has been serving food from 6:00 a. m. until 12:30 p. m. Starting Saturday night food will also be served between 5:30 p. m. and 8:00 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Schatz invite their many friends in the Lake Region to visit them when in search of delicious food.

Rev. Ed Statham Writes A Letter

I was glad to see a letter from Albert Slavens in the paper. You don't know how much pleasure we get from reading your paper or should I say "our paper." We read all of it—the ads and the news. When we have finished we wish there was more. Sometimes the paper is late and a couple of times it didn't come at all and then all was wrong and nothing was heard from it. I find that all are doing a lot for our men in the army—the USO, Red Cross, and those who come out and put on the shows for us. For all of this we are grateful.

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Ed Larson Will Be Candidate

TALLAHASSEE, Sept. 16. — (FNS)—State Treasurer J. Ed Larson announced this week that he would be a candidate for re-election subject to next year's democratic primaries.

Just completing his first term, Larson claimed a record of substantial progress, including a reduction in annual compensation insurance rates justified by experience of companies operating under the workmen's compensation act.

Larson was recently honored by being elected southern zone chairman of the National Association of Securities Commissioners. He is chairman of the Florida Securities Commission.

Larson served six years as federal collector of internal revenue for Florida and has served in both houses of the state legislature. His announcement is the second made by a cabinet member. Attorney General Tom Watson announced last week that he would run for re-election several weeks ago.

Vegetable Group To Get Hearing

SARASOTA, Sept. 16. — (FNS)—Loring Paul, vice chairman of the Florida Vegetable Council, representing 200,000 acres of winter vegetable production in Florida, has been invited to attend a meeting of the House Agriculture Committee in Washington this week and also confer with Food Administrator Marvin Jones and Chester Bowles of the OPA.

The Florida Vegetable Committee this week warned Florida growers against "blind planting" in the face of existing uncertainty and unsatisfactory price ceilings.

Secretary John Ford of the Vegetable Committee said: "Apparently, Washington has realized our situation. It is going to have to be a 'Florida is going to have to be the chief producer.'"

Mrs. Chastain Honors Guest

Mrs. Anderson Chastain gave a luncheon for her niece Mrs. Harry E. S. Doherty at the Chastain home in Canal Point. Mrs. Pequette will be remembered as Miss Martha Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Arnold formerly of Pahokee.

A delicious luncheon of chicken salad and fresh coconut cream pie was served. Three tables of "cote" were in play. Mrs. E. L. Pope was winner of high score prize and Mrs. Frances Cross won second.

Those attending were: Mesdames Francis Cross, E. L. Pope, J. L. Hall, Donald Kepp, Wallace Pope, C. G. Johnson, T. M. Chastain, John Pickett, Harry Pequette, Frank Johnson, J. S. Chastain, Christine Cochran, Dorsey Pugh, A. Chastain.

REGULAR LIONS MEET HELD TUESDAY NOON

E. S. Doherty presided at a musical program Tuesday at the regular weekly meeting of the Pahokee Lions club.

Officials of the club reported income of \$1200 in non-profit sale. It has been said to finance purchase of the new Lions club building.

Ed Hamilton of West Palm Beach was a visitor. Sgt. Alvin Armstrong, who is stationed at Scott Field, Ill., and is home on furlough, was also a guest.

Rev. C. A. Moberg Is Improved

"The many friends of Rev. C. A. Moberg, pastor of the Pahokee Baptist church, will be pleased to know that he is improving slowly at Everglades Memorial hospital after undergoing an operation Sunday afternoon for removal of his appendix. Rev. Moberg has been ill for more than a week but until the past weekend did his condition look a serious turn. His condition following the operation was grave and special nurses were provided to attend him. The entire community has been watching his progress and any sign of improvement in his condition has been welcome news to his many friends."

Risk, Baker And Warren Elected

W. P. Risk, J. K. Baker and Lonnie Warren were elected members of the Belle Glade city commission in the annual election held on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Risk had no opposition and received 421 votes. In group two J. K. Baker was opposed by C. A. Bailey and N. D. Lloyd. Mr. Baker received 338 votes and Mr. Lloyd 125 while Mr. Bailey received 11.

In group one Lonnie Warren received 322 votes to defeat H. J. Brantley who polled 148 ballots. E. M. VanLandingham and C. W. Adams are other members of the council who were not up for re-election Tuesday.

FFA Groups Are Invited To Show

ARCADIA, Sept. 16. — (FNS)—Future Farmers of America residing in DeSoto, Hardee, Lee, Charlotte, Highlands, Sarasota, Manatee and Alachua counties and the south half of Polk counties are invited to participate in the Third Annual State Show to be held at the State Livestock Market in Arcadia Oct. 29-31.

A special class has been set up for the exhibit of calves by FFA boys and no others will be permitted to enter in this group of officials.

Any boy entering a calf must have owned it for three months prior to entering. Further information and show permits may be secured from the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce.

WAVES Present Program For Pahokee Rotes

Members of Uncle Sam's Navy presented an interesting program to members of the Pahokee Rotary club at the regular weekly meeting held yesterday. A number of invited guests also enjoyed the program.

The program was under the direction of Ensign Anita Mitchell, a former music instructor in Pahokee high school. Ensign Mitchell presented Ensign Knight, Yeoman Third Class Dorothy Casavant and First Class Boatsteward Eddie Rittenhouse.

Ensign Mitchell spoke interestingly of the work of the WAVES in an all-out effort to win the war. She was pianist for the club during the time she taught music in the schools of Pahokee, and Acting First Lieutenant Rardin asked her to tell her old role again during the meeting.

Boatsteward Rittenhouse made an impressive talk on the value of WAVES in the Navy. The pay is good, the girls have ideal living conditions and are an integral part of the entire Navy set-up. In order that the WAVES may and their could learn first hand what the enlisted girls think of the Navy, Boatsteward Rittenhouse asked Yeoman Casavant, several questions in regard to her life in the Navy. This question and answer part of the program proved of great interest to the group.

Following the close of the program Acting President Rardin on behalf of the members of the club presented each of the WAVES with a compact carrying the Rotary insignia.

Guests for the day were: George Mead, Ed Jensen, O. C. Moore, Frank Johnson, Elmer Kirchman and George Williams.

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COUNCIL MEETING POSTPONED

The regular meeting of Pahokee city council scheduled for Friday night has been postponed until Monday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Peters of Clewiston announced the arrival of a son Tuesday. Mrs. Peters is the former Miss Mary Jean Handley of Pahokee.

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GOOD OLD ROMMEL

The Germans must be sagging against the ropes when even their propaganda machine is reduced to believing its own legends. A recent German broadcast during the Allies to invade the continent, wound up by saying, "Our armored divisions are eagerly anticipating your arrival and in Greece good old Rommel is waiting for the invaders." No one seems to have told Berlin that the British and Americans have alike discovered that Nazi armored divisions can be beaten, or that "good old" Rommel is today chiefly remembered by the democratic public as the man who made one of the longest and fastest retreats in history. Actually, Marshal Rommel, though no superman, was a talented soldier; but about all the name now suggests in Britain and America is the commander who legged it with scarcely a pause for 1,500 miles from Alamein to Tunisia, and who was thereafter conveniently missing as the allies marched on into the Europe which he had failed to defend.

His is no longer a name to conjure with for the purpose of foreign propaganda, but apparently Dr. Goebbels' bright young men have not yet realized the fact. Having manufactured Rommel, the Nazi field marshal, into a combination of Alexander, Belshazzar and Napoleon, they cannot realize that he has been defeated by events so far as American minds are concerned, into that German general who had the good luck to look like Eric von Stroheim. This is the weakness of the Germans of the day, the Nazi propaganda machine, the fatal weakness which was bound to show up some time through all those dazzling triumphs of mendacity which it achieved. When the liar goes on believing in his own lies after every one else has seen through them, he is done for. Good old Rommel may be in Greece; but good old Goebbels is on the ropes.—New York Herald Tribune.

HONOR AMONG SHARKS

Three men were shot down in the South Pacific. Before the war one was a doctor, another an editor and the other a lawyer. The rubber-boat sprung a leak and it became necessary that its load be lightened by one of the crew swimming to the shore some distance away. Lots were drawn and it fell to the lot of the lawyer to do the swimming. The water was full of sharks, and he swam for the shore, the editor, noting the sharks swimming about the swimmer, diving under him and jumping over him, but not offering to molest him, said: "Well, that is surely a miracle." "Miracle, nothing," the doctor snapped, "that isn't a miracle, it's a professional courtesy."—Punta Gorda Herald.

TRIFLER

Jane—Why so downcast, honeychild?
Anette—My soldier love has not been true to me. He promised that he would not even look at any of those foreign girls, but I see by this morning's paper he's been decorated for gallantry.—Collier County News.

TRAIN TRAVEL SAFE

Despite recent wrecks your chance of not having an accident on a 100-mile railroad trip are 400 million to one.
In the first eight months this year 128 people were killed in railroad accidents—109 of the men the past twelve years. But the railroads operated some 52 billion passenger miles during the period (the equivalent of carrying one traveler 52 billion miles). That means one death for every 400 million passenger miles. In the first

eight months of this year domestic air-liners reported 41 deaths while covering some 965 million passenger miles—or one death for each 23 million miles.

The railroads of years have tried to find some way of warning trainmen of journal boxes or fire (trouble on the Congressional Limited). Five years ago the Atchison tried a stink bomb arrangement but found maintenance too difficult and gave up the idea.—Wall Street Journal.

TOUGH TIMES

A copy of MacKinlay Kantor's Long Remember found its way into the hands of a sergeant on Guadalcanal. In the thick of battle, when Jim was throwing everything they had, he continued to read, huddled in his foxhole.

"Must be quite a story," an officer remarked.
"Yes, sir," sighed the sergeant, "they sure had a tough time of it back in those civil war days."—Book-of-the-Month News.

MARRIAGE-HAPPINESS TEST

"Will HE make a good husband?" Any girl who would like to know (and which one doesn't?) just has to answer Yes or No to these questions from sociologist Ann Brown Wilson's "marriage happiness" test in the September issue of Romantic Story:

1. Does he have at least one brother or sister?
 2. Is (was) the marriage of his parents happy?
 3. Is he conservative in morals and politics?
 4. Will he be at least 22 years old at the time of marriage?
 5. Does he discuss his problems with you?
 6. Does he treat subordinates with consideration?
 7. Does he often take the lead in living up a party?
 8. Is his emotional temperament stable?
 9. Has his employment record been regular?
 10. Is his circle of friends large?
 11. Does he have a savings account?
 12. Have you known him two years or more?
 13. Do both your parents approve of him?
 14. Do you like his friends?
 15. Does he desire children?
 16. Can he be pleasant to someone he dislikes?
 17. Does he feel at ease in a social group?
 18. Is he glad to accept responsibility?
- Now total the number of questions to which you answered yes.
- If your score is 18, your boy friend will make a perfect husband—or else you cheated. If it's between 14 and 18, your marriage has a most excellent chance of being a success. If it's between 7 and 13, you will have your marital problems, but you'll be happy together if you use tact and understanding. If you scored less than 9, think twice before you marry the guy.—Sanford Herald.

A SALESMAN ANNOUNCES

You don't have to stretch your imagination to believe that a Jacksonville salesman with a sense of humor befitting the times actually wrote this message to his customers:

"Due to my independent position as a salesman, I have decided to show my line at a time best suited to my convenience. It pleases me to permit you to view my merchandise on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 2 and 4 p. m. This will permit me to extend my week-ends, also to devote my mornings to rest and recreation. Note: The above only applies as long as war produces a scarcity of materials. After that, I'll be around begging you to please view my line as usual.

Many merchants who have been fighting to get the attention of wholesale representatives with goods to sell will read the Jacksonville salesman's message with deep understanding.—Lakeland Ledger.

then later came pickers who harvested the fruit which eventually found its way to one of our canneries. These workers prepared it for shipment and finally it found its destination.

If the millions of fighting men all over the world who have been receiving our products could all have their say I know they would raise as one to bless each and every man, woman and child here at home who is carrying on, tilling the soil, picking, hauling, packing and canning so that the boys at the front can enjoy these products of our favored soil.

The man or woman who works on the grove or in one of our great canning or packing plants is doing as big and important a job toward winning the war as are those who lend their talents to the building of ships or planes or jeeps.

Organization and enterprise can send arms and ammunition from most any state but life-giving, health-producing citrus juice can only come from Florida and one or two other points. Because of this fact our responsibility to great and every Floridian should take pride in the fact that Florida enjoys the privilege of making so great a contribution to the war effort.

Don't worry, Soldier. We are backing you all the way. We'll keep those canneries humming and the fruit juice will want and need coming in a never ending stream. Florida won't let you down.

PLANTS FOR SALE

Shrubs and Hedge Plants
Ornamental Plants and Trees
Fruiting Plants

PALMS — Cocos Plumosa,
Royal Arecas,
Phoenixes,
Roebellias.

(State Nursery Inspected)

EDWARD OLSEN
BACOM POINT ROAD
Pahokee, Florida.



"It's great to know you're helping!"

"Sure, I know I'm too young to carry a gun and be a Ranger like brother Bill, but I'm helping all the same in every way I know how. Dad told me the other night about the need for cutting down my local 'phone calls. He said that every telephone line was needed to badly by Uncle Sam that every call I didn't make would help win the war."

"Gee, I didn't know my calls would make any difference, but they sure do. Dad says telephone lines and switchboards are so crowded now that every call I make, to be dead sure it's important."

"Mom and Dad, and Sister and the maid, and the whole gang of kids in my neighborhood are now doing a lot for less telephoning. Believe me, I want brother Bill back home, and if cutting down on my 'phone calls will help bring him back—it's sure okay with me."

"How about you? Will you help, too? I bet you will."

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CINEMATIC CHATTER.....

—By MALCOLM MILLAR—
What The Movies Have To Offer During The Coming Week

Believe you me, if they continue giving us pictures of the air like they have in the not too far distant past, every citizen of this grand country will know as much about "ships of the air" as the fellows that pilot them. Further, sitting through some of these epics of the air person gets a pretty fair idea of the hardships "our boys" go through in order to keep this country free from "Nazis" and "Fatsies."

Sunday-Monday comes one that will run electric shocks up and down your spine throughout its entire screening. I'm talking about "Bombardier," which stars Pat O'Brien, Randolph Scott, Anne Shirley and Eddie Albert and features Barton MacLane, Leonard Strong, Richard Martin, Russell Wade, James Newell, John Miljan and Charles Russell.

"Bombardier" presents the fascinating story of the Norden bomb sight and the men who made its amazing performance possible. The story traces the development of the famous instrument and the training methods used to teach thousands of students its secret operation.

A night-bombing raid over Japan factories around Tokio forms the exciting end to the picture, with a squadron of Flying Fortress involved in the affair, battling speedy Zeroes as they roar in over I am sure you'll enjoy this picture, even though it be about war.

It will give you an idea as to the fighting spirit of our men of the sky that has earned them the title "Devil of the Skies." Remember Edmund Lowe? He's sold to sacrifice some luxury in one of the real old timers of screen and stage. He is my style actor. That's the fellow who has gone through the school and is called "finished" by show folks because he has learned to stop acting and just be himself.

Well, Lowe, with Marguerite Chaffman, John Lisle (There is another finished performer.), William Wright, Bruce Bennett and Esther Dale offer "Murder in

Times Square," a story that will hold your attention, not only because it's a good story, but because it has a fine cast of artists to narrate the yarn and the direction is flawless.

Getting away from the serious portions of the weeks offerings, Jinx Falkenberg, Tom Neal, Constance Worth, The Radio Raguette and The Vagabonds bring in a light-comedy laugh provoker under the title, "She Has What It Takes." This is a tawny little show about the lives of "trouper" and how "the show must go on" and all that sort of thing.

To be perfectly frank with you, it is not the greatest show in the business, but it is entertaining and that's the main thing you're interested in, and, further, it's not one of those operas where a stranded troupe of thespians land in a war plant and put on the bit of the year. Yes—I think you'll like it.

Of course each of these mid-week shows have been provided with well selected short subjects and the news will be unwound which to me is always "the spice of the show."

Saturday "The Ranger Busters" come galloping into the old opee hall in "Texas Trouble Shooter." This will be up to standard for the type of "cow operas" these fellows generally dish out and I'm sure it will please every member of the Six Shooters Club.

Folsie, I've hammered War Bonds into you continuously in the columns. But, if you could read some of the letters I get from "My Boys," fighting all over the globe, you wouldn't have to be told to sacrifice some luxury in order to buy extra War Bonds in September. Back the Attack in September with at least ONE EXTRA War Bond. We have them at the Theatre, \$25-\$50-\$100 denominations.

See you at the movies—Mal.

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by Russell Kay

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Said the writer: "The contents of the can from which this label was removed by the writer today were most delicious. You may be interested to know that this Florida product was over 9,000 miles from the point of packing."

"One of my fellow officers, a California boy, helped me consume the contents of this can and he admitted it was a fine product. You may tell readers of this paper to Classify that it makes us feel Cracker boys mighty proud and happy to find such products from our own great state here on the outposts and in the front."

The label instructed us to chill before serving, but somebody forgot to send us a Kevlarator and the oranges doesn't come around the jungle home, so we punctured

the can and drank her down like juice. Of the citrus juice I've ever had none more delicious, refreshing or more appreciated than this.

"Take it from me, this kind of a message from home is even more helpful than guns and ammunition for it lifts a fellow up and revives his old fighting spirit into nothing else in the world."

"As I drank my share of the precious juice I could see the beautiful orange and grapefruit groves, the great packing houses, and busy canning plants, my home town and my friends and all the things I know and loved back home. And I know what I was fighting for."

"Keep that fruit and juice coming; don't let us down on the home front and you can bet your bottom dollar we won't let you down on the battle front."

You know folks, that thrilling message, penned laboriously on the back of a can label, hit me

right between the eyes. Like a lot of other folks, I've been inclined to discount and take for granted the magnificent job being done by our farmers and growers, our packers and shippers and above all our great canning industry.

I had been thinking in terms of ships and guns and ammunition. While these things, of course, are plenty important, we should not lose sight of the fact that food, all kinds of food, is even more important. Starving hungry men can't fight for long no matter how much ammunition they may have at hand. The picture that boy somewhere out there in the steaming tropics when he received that can of citrus juice from his own home state. Can't you just imagine the thrill it gave him? Then to be able to quench his parched throat with that delicious juice and brag on it to his buddy, who, though a Californian, had to admit it was mighty good.

Somewhere in Florida someone carefully tended a bearing grove,

"When this war is won and factual stories may be written concerning the heroes of indust-

rial production, there will be many thrilling accounts of the ingenuity, courage and faithfulness by the rank and file in industry, and high in the records of achievement will be that of the ice industry which has carried on quietly, undramatized, but forcefully and successfully," states the Florida Icer, official organ of the Florida Ice Association.

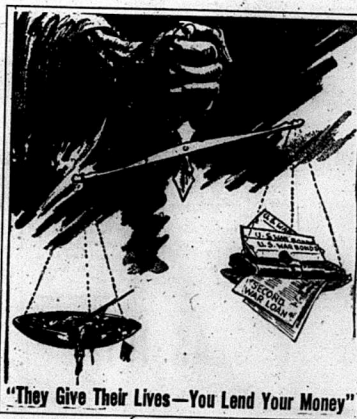
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

MRS. G. B. RAMEY
Pahokee Phone 2022

Mrs. G. B. Ramey of Pahokee received word Wednesday of the death of her sister, Mrs. L. B. Miller whose home is in Sinabury, Conn.

Pfc Emmett R. Elliott of Morristown Field spent the past week end in Pahokee as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliott.

Miss Betty Speer and Miss Lois Byrd left, over the week end for Tallahassee where they will attend Florida State College for Women.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reddick returned to their home in Canal Point, Monday night after spending the summer in Daytona Beach.

Paul Jordan of Avon Park, spent Tuesday and Wednesday attending to business in Pahokee.

Mrs. Kitty Sasser remains in a serious condition at Jackson Memorial hospital in Miami.

Mrs. Mary Tiffin is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Shroder in Pahokee.

Mrs. George Belk was removed from her home in Pahokee to the Tampa Municipal hospital on Monday of this week. She was reported to have rested fairly well on Monday night.

Mrs. Browning Roach is a patient at Good Samaritan hospital in West Palm Beach where her condition is reported as improved.

B. S. Waring, Glades distributor

for the Nocatee-Manatee Canteen company spent a couple of days in Nocatee on business this week.

Miss Jane Sims, Miss Louise Sims, Miss Dortha Carpenter and Miss Dorothy Tucker left over the week end for Tallahassee where they will continue their studies at Florida State College for Women.

Miss Doris Jordan and Miss Eleanor Chastain, of Canal Point, left Sunday for Rome, Ga., where they will attend Shorter college.

The version of the record smashing show "This Is the Army" will be shown throughout the state under the auspices of the American Legion, opening in Miami Sept. 26. Legion officials announce.

Miss Jean Shaughnessy left yesterday for Georgian Court College at Lakewood, N. J. Miss Joy Lou Bailey left yesterday also for Edgewood Park Junior college at Brail Cliff Manor, N. Y.

Miss Ruby Jane McClure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McClure of Pahokee, arrived home this week from Panama where she has spent the past two years and three months. Miss McClure will spend a few weeks with her parents before going to Temple University where she will finish her education.

LEGION WILL MEET

Members of the Pahokee post of the American Legion will meet Monday night to discuss terms of sale of the Legion grounds to the Pahokee Elks lodge.

Kite strings made of glass are being used by the U. S. Army Air Force fliers to send up box-kites with radio antenna, when forced down at sea. Glass yarn is used because of its strength and the fact that weather and salt water won't rot it. Florida followers of Isaac Walton may go fishing with glass lines after the war. Nylon fishing lines replaced Japanese silk just prior to the war—now glass may prove superior to either silk or nylon.

Miss Frances Elam has gone to Lakeland where she will enter Southern college as a junior.

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